


		NTSB ID: ERA09WA030		Aircraft Registration Number: ZP-TVA	
		Occurrence Date: 10/24/2008		Most Critical Injury:	
		Occurrence Type: Accident		Investigated By: Foreign	
Location/Time					
Nearest City/Place Asuncion	State	Zip Code	Local Time 1040	Time Zone ADT	
Airport Proximity: Off Airport/Airstrip		Distance From Landing Facility: 4			
Aircraft Information Summary					
Aircraft Manufacturer CESSNA		Model/Series 402C		Type of Aircraft	
Revenue Sightseeing Flight: No			Air Medical Transport Flight: No		
Narrative					
<p>Brief narrative statement of facts, conditions and circumstances pertinent to the accident/incident:</p> <p>On October 24, 2008, about 1041 Atlantic daylight time, a Cessna 402C, Paraguay registration ZP-TVA, owned and operated by AsisMed, impacted terrain near Asuncion, Paraguay. Visual meteorological conditions prevailed at the time and no flight plan was filed. The aircraft was substantially damaged. The pilot and 4 passengers were killed. The flight originated from the Asuncion Silvio Pettrossi International Airport in Asuncion, Paraguay, about 1039.</p> <p>Information obtained from the Government of Paraguay indicated that prior to takeoff the pilot of the airplane communicated with the airport controller advising that the flight was going to be a maintenance test flight. About 2 minutes after takeoff, and 4 miles northwest of the departure end of the runway, the airplane crashed into a field of eucalyptus. A witness stated that the airplane impacted the ground nose first and then burst into flames.</p> <p>The accident investigation is under the jurisdiction of the Government of Paraguay. Any further information pertaining to this accident may be obtained from:</p> <p>Direccion Nacional de Aeronautica Civil  Centro de Investigacion y Prevencion de Accidentes Aeronauticos (CIPAA)  Aeropuerto International Silvio Pettrossi  CC 1752 Asuncion  Asuncion Paraguay  Phone: (595-21) 64559  Fax: (595-21) 645599</p> <p>This report is for information purposes only and contains only information obtained for or released by the Government of Paraguay.</p>					
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<b>Landing Facility/Approach Information</b>						
Airport Name Silvio Pettrossi International		Airport ID: SGAS	Airport Elevation 281 Ft. MSL	Runway Used N/A	Runway Length	Runway Width
Runway Surface Type:						
Runway Surface Condition:						
Approach/Arrival Flown: NONE						
VFR Approach/Landing: Forced Landing						
<b>Aircraft Information</b>						
Aircraft Manufacturer CESSNA		Model/Series 402C		Serial Number		
Airworthiness Certificate(s): Normal						
Landing Gear Type: Retractable - Tricycle						
Amateur Built Acft? No		Number of Seats:		Certified Max Gross Wt. LBS	Number of Engines:	
Engine Type:		Engine Manufacturer:		Model/Series:	Rated Power:	
- Aircraft Inspection Information						
Type of Last Inspection		Date of Last Inspection	Time Since Last Inspection Hours		Airframe Total Time Hours	
- Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT) Information						
ELT Installed?/Type		ELT Operated?		ELT Aided in Locating Accident Site?		
<b>Owner/Operator Information</b>						
Registered Aircraft Owner AsisMed		Street Address				
		City Asuncion		State	Zip Code	
Operator of Aircraft AsisMed		Street Address				
		City Asuncion		State	Zip Code	
Operator Does Business As:				Operator Designator Code:		
- Type of U.S. Certificate(s) Held: None						
Air Carrier Operating Certificate(s):						
Operating Certificate:			Operator Certificate:			
Regulation Flight Conducted Under: Part 91: General Aviation						
Type of Flight Operation Conducted: Personal						
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<b>First Pilot Information</b>									
Name		City		State	Date of Birth	Age			
On File									
Sex: M	Seat Occupied:	Occupational Pilot?		Certificate Number:					
Certificate(s):									
Airplane Rating(s):									
Rotorcraft/Glider/LTA:									
Instrument Rating(s):									
Instructor Rating(s):									
Current Biennial Flight Review?									
Medical Cert.:		Medical Cert. Status:		Date of Last Medical Exam:					
<b>- Flight Time Matrix</b>	All A/C	This Make and Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multi-Engine	Night	Instrument Actual Simulated	Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
Total Time									
Pilot In Command(PIC)									
Instructor									
Instruction Received									
Last 90 Days									
Last 30 Days									
Last 24 Hours									
Seatbelt Used?		Shoulder Harness Used?		Toxicology Performed?		Second Pilot? No			
<b>Flight Plan/Itinerary</b>									
Type of Flight Plan Filed: Unknown									
Departure Point		State		Airport Identifier		Departure Time		Time Zone	
Asuncion				SGAS		1039		ADT	
Destination		State		Airport Identifier					
Local Flight				SGAS					
Type of Clearance: None									
Type of Airspace:									
<b>Weather Information</b>									
Source of Wx Information:									
Unknown									
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<b>Weather Information</b>					
WOF ID	Observation Time	Time Zone	WOF Elevation	WOF Distance From Accident Site	Direction From Accident Site
SGAS	1030	ADT	281 Ft. MSL	4 NM	315 Deg. Mag.
Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition:				Ft. AGL	Condition of Light: Day
Lowest Ceiling:			Ft. AGL	Visibility: 10 SM	Altimeter: "Hg
Temperature: 30 °C	Dew Point: 23 °C	Weather Conditions at Accident Site: Visual Conditions			
Wind Direction: 360	Wind Speed: 5	Wind Gusts:			
Visibility (RVR): Ft.	Visibility (RVV) SM				
Precip and/or Obscuration: No Precipitation					

<b>Accident Information</b>					
Aircraft Damage: Destroyed		Aircraft Fire: Ground		Aircraft Explosion: Ground	


- Injury Summary Matrix	Fatal	Serious	Minor	None	TOTAL	
First Pilot	1				1	
Second Pilot						
Student Pilot						
Flight Instructor						
Check Pilot						
Flight Engineer						
Cabin Attendants						
Other Crew						
Passengers	4				4	
- TOTAL ABOARD -	5				5	
Other Ground						
- GRAND TOTAL -	5				5	

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<b>Administrative Information</b>		
<b>Investigator-In-Charge (IIC)</b> Jose Obregon		
<b>Additional Persons Participating in This Accident/Incident Investigation:</b>  Javier Rodriguez FAA/IFO Miami, FL		
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